

Montgomery, Alabama

QUARTERLY LIST OF PROGRAMMING PROVIDING THE MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES April 1 – June 30, 2017 Second Quarter

The following issues were identified as significant and were addressed by WSFA-TV in order to serve the community and act in the public interest as set forth by the Federal Communications Commission.

<u>Community Development</u> – includes efforts to enhance the community and promote increased pride, such as fund-raising for various programs, revitalizing neighborhoods, volunteerism, etc.

<u>Crime & Law Enforcement</u> – includes crime prevention, police conduct, fire safety, etc.

<u>Cultural</u> – includes development of the arts in the community, also reflects ways of life in the community.

Economy – includes local issues, job opportunities and the state of the economy, etc.

<u>Education</u> – includes education standards, school safety, efforts to keep up with growth in the area, budget matters, etc.

<u>Environment</u> – includes matters relating to soil, air, water, climate and pollution in the community.

<u>Government</u> – includes state, county and local political issues/events, profiles and headlines regarding political leaders and newsmakers, governmental corruption, etc. Also includes federal government issues.

<u>Healthcare</u> – includes health education and awareness, wellness and fitness, healthcare for the elderly, etc.

<u>Social Services</u> – includes programs or events that promote the growth of individuals, benefit low income or special needs families, and non-profit organizations that focus on helping with health and financial issues, etc.

DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAMS PROVIDING MOST SIGNIFICANT TREATMENT OF COMMUNITY ISSUES

<u>PROGRAM</u>	<u>DAYS</u>	<u>TIMES</u>
Today in Alabama 4:30am	Monday – Friday	4:30am – 5:00am
Today in Alabama 5:00am	Monday - Friday	5:00am - 5:30am
Today in Alabama 5:30am	Monday - Friday	5:30am - 6:00am
Today in Alabama 6:00am	Monday - Friday	6:00am - 7:00am
Alabama Live!	Monday - Friday	11:00am - 12:00pm
WSFA 12 News at 12	Monday - Friday	12:00pm - 12:30pm
WSFA 12 News at 4	Monday - Friday	4:00pm - 5:00pm
WSFA 12 News at 5	Monday - Friday	5:00pm - 5:30pm
WSFA 12 News at 6	Monday - Friday	6:00pm - 6:30pm
News at 9	Monday - Friday	9:00pm - 9:30pm
WSFA 12 News at 10	Monday - Friday	10:00pm - 10:35pm
WSFA 12 News at 6	Saturday	6:00pm - 7:00pm
News at 9 (12.2-Bounce TV)	Saturday	9:00pm - 9:30pm
WSFA 12 News at 10	Saturday	10:00pm -10:30pm
Today in Alabama 9:00am	Sunday	9:00am - 9:30am
WSFA 12 News at 5	Sunday	5:00pm - 5:30pm
News at 9 (12.2-Bounce TV)	Sunday	9:00pm - 9:30pm
WSFA 12 News at 10	Sunday	10:00pm - 11:00pm

All of the above programs are locally produced news programs representing a mix of news, weather, sports, and issue-related feature stories.

The following franchises air on a daily or weekly basis within our local news programs and address community issues.

Class Act

This weekly segment features a public school teacher that is making a positive impact on students.

Consumer Reports

This segment covers stories from the popular magazine, tests products and issues safety reports.

Crime Stoppers

This segment takes an active role in solving local crimes. It helps locate potential witnesses who have information that can help investigators.

Defenders

This segment alerts the public to consumer issues, scams, recalls, etc. and responds to viewer requests to solve problems in the community.

Editorials

WSFA's General Manager presents editorials on local and national stories of interest and personal observations.

Food for Thought

This segment covers the weekly Health Departments scores for local area restaurants and stores.

Happening Today

This segment shows viewers how they can respond and get involved in their community as a mixed bag of community events are showcased (United Way, local theater productions, concerts, social service fund-raising events, etc.)

Health Watch

This segment is designed as a framework for a wide range of health topics. A special emphasis is placed on health subjects of local and regional interests as it provides information from the world of medicine to our viewers.

We Can Make A Difference

This segment features viewers who go above and beyond to make a difference in our community.

Tuesdays with the District Attorney

This segment focuses on issues the Montgomery District Attorney faces, issues of crime and crime prevention.

News Ticker

This segment provides stock reports on area and key stocks of interest.

Sketch the Sky

This segment is designed as a tool to interest children in science (meteorology) and art, as kids literally "sketch the sky."

12 Talk

This segment provides a guest speaker who talks about events happening in the community.

The following syndicated program airs weekly and addresses community issues:

The Time of Your Life

Sundays

6:30-7:00am

This 30-minute syndicated program is aimed at the over-50 audience, touching on issues and problems faced by senior citizens.

WSFA is an affiliate of the NBC network and, as such, carries the network's regularly scheduled programming which includes the following that provide issue responsive stories and segments:

EARLY TODAY

Monday-Friday

4:00-4:30am

This business news and consumer driven show gives viewers breaking business news and stock market action for the domestic and foreign exchanges.

TODAY SHOW

Monday-Friday

7:00-11:00am

This four-hour network program provides the latest in international and domestic news, weather reports and interviews with newsmakers from the world of politics, business, media, entertainment, and sports. WSFA provides local news updates at various times.

TODAY SHOW-Weekend

Saturday, 6:00-8:00am & Sunday, 7:00-8:00am

Weekend editions continue the "Today" tradition of covering breaking news, interviewing newsmakers, reporting on a variety of popular culture and human-interest stories, covering topics related to health and finance, and presenting the latest sports and weather information.

NBC NIGHTLY NEWS

Monday-Sunday

5:30-6:00pm

"NBC Nightly News with Lester Holt" provides reports and analysis of the day's most newsworthy national and international events. It offers solution-driven programming that delves into the toughest issues facing our society today.

MEET THE PRESS

Sunday

8:00-9:00am

This one-hour network news program consists of three interview segments with guests of national and international political importance, followed by an expanded roundtable discussion at the end of each broadcast.

DATELINE NBC

Friday

7:00-8:00pm and

Other Varying Days/Times

This network program has pioneered a unique approach to prime time news programming, with its multi-broadcast franchise. With this schedule, the one-hour news magazine enables NBC News to present its best reporting, investigative features, and newsmaker profiles in a consistent and comprehensive manner.

PSA's

NBC airs "The More You Know" 10-second PSA's Monday – Sunday on various topics ranging from prejudices, teen violence, judging, parental involvement, drugs and alcohol.

"The More You Know's" comprehensive website (themoreyouknow.com) provides in-depth referral information in connection with the on-air public service announcements. Content includes: video of all current public service announcements, a general campaign overview, message boards, kids' pages and referral information by topic to partnering agencies referenced in the PSAs. The site includes a comprehensive list of the campaign's accolades, including Emmy and Peabody awards. In addition, a behind-the-scenes story with clips from talent interviews can be viewed.

MEET THE PRESS (NBC)

Chuck Todd is NBC News Political Director and the moderator of "Meet the Press," the flagship Sunday Morning public affairs program and longest-running broadcast in television history.

APRIL 2, 2017

MTP EXCLUSIVE: SENATE LEADERS DISAGREE ON SCOTUS NOMINEE - MCCONNELL: 'GORSUCH WILL BE CONFIRMED THIS WEEK,' SCHUMER: 'HIGHLY, HIGHLY UNLIKELY'

McConnell on knowing anything about Trump's surveillance claim: "The answer is no" EXCLUSIVE: Schumer calls on Trump and Senate to "come up with a mainstream nominee" EXCLUSIVE: Former FBI agent Clint Watts: "How many times the [Trump] campaign picked up on lines that were promoted by the Kremlin, or vice versa, ... was ironic"

Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell (R-Ky.) told "Meet the Press" moderator Chuck Todd that "in the middle of all these other things that are swirling around, there are two things you can depend on: the Senate Intelligence Committee's bipartisan investigation, and of course, the FBI conducting a criminal investigation" -- notably not listing the House Intelligence Committee's investigation which is currently under scrutiny.

"You asked me if I knew anything about alleged wiretapping by the previous president. The answer is no," he added.

Ahead of this week's Senate confirmation of Supreme Court nominee Neil Gorsuch, McConnell said that "Neil Gorsuch will be confirmed this week. How that happens really depends on our Democratic friends, how many of them are willing to oppose cloture on a partisan basis to kill a Supreme Court nominee, never happened before in history, the whole history of the country.

Senate Minority Leader Chuck Schumer (D-N.Y.) exclusively told Todd that "Gorsuch will not reach the 60-vote margin ... Instead of changing the rules, which is up to Mitch McConnell and the Republican majority, why doesn't President Trump, Democrats, and Republicans in the Senate, sit down, and try to come up with a mainstream nominee?

Former FBI agent Clint Watts, now a Robert A. Fox Fellow at the Foreign Policy Research Institute, also joined the show after testifying on Capitol Hill earlier this week about Russian information operations. Watts expanded on the use of Russian propaganda by the Trump campaign: "The synchronization at times, how many times the campaign picked up on lines that were promoted by the Kremlin, or vice versa, created lines that were then the Kremlin promoted back into the U.S. base, was ironic. It was hard to see that with any other campaign."

On if Trump was targeted by the Russians to help spread fake news, Watts said: "They just knew that he was opportunistic during his campaign. So if you put stuff that helps his campaign, he will likely use it ... But they also pushed for Bernie Sanders at times too. They would go on the left and the right. It's bipartisan."

This morning's roundtable was comprised of **Robert Draper** of GQ and The New York Times, **Eugene Robinson** of The Washington Post, MSNBC's **Greta Van Susteren** and **Amy Walter** of The Cook Political Report.

APRIL 9, 2017

MTP EXCLUSIVES: GRAHAM CALLS ON TRUMP TO PUNISH RUSSIA FOR SUPPORTING ASSAD, KAINE SAYS WHITE HOUSE DIDN'T OFFER PLAN ON SYRIA IN SENATE BRIEFING

U.N. Amb. Nikki Haley on Assad as head of Syrian government: "In no way do we look at peace happening in that area with Iranian influence" EXCLUSIVE: Sen. Lindsey Graham (R-S.C.): "Here's what I think Assad's telling Trump by flying from this base: "F you"" EXCLUSIVE: Sen. Tim Kaine (D-Va.) on Friday's Senate briefing: "When we asked about the legal authorization, they [the administration] said they weren't prepared to discuss that" EXCLUSIVE: Sen. Bernie Sanders (I-Vt.) on working with Russia: "Make them an offer they can't refuse"

In an exclusive "Meet the Press" interview this morning, **Sen. Lindsey Graham (R-S.C.)** called on President Trump for action: "Go after Russia through sanctions not only for interfering in our elections, but aiding and abetting the use of chemical weapons by a war criminal, Assad."

"Here's what I think Assad's telling Trump by flying from this base: 'F you,'" said Graham in reference to Syria jets taking off from the base hit by the U.S. airstrike.

The senator also responded to moderator Chuck Todd's interview with **Nikki Haley, U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations**, noting that "regime change is now the policy of the Trump administration." Haley had addressed the administration's "multiple priorities" in Syria: "It's to defeat ISIS. I mean, we've got to do that for peace and stability in the area. It's also to get out the Iranian influence."

"You are going to see is pressure on the political solution. That's really what's going to happen," the ambassador said

"I agree with Ambassador Haley that I don't think there's any political solution to the civil war in Syria that doesn't mean that Assad moves aside because he's tearing up the country. But instead of regime change, what we should focus on is humanitarian relief," responded **Senator Tim Kaine (D-Va.)**, who exclusively joined the program.

Kaine told Todd that, in the Senate briefing on Friday, the White House "still presented us with no plan. We don't know if it's limited or whether there's more. And when we asked about the legal authorization, they said they weren't prepared to discuss that."

Sen. Bernie Sanders (I-Vt.) suggested that you encourage Russia to work together by making "them an offer they can't refuse. And that means tightening the screws on them, dealing with sanctions, telling them that we need their help, they have got to come to the table and not maintain this horrific dictator."

This morning's roundtable was comprised of **David Brooks** and **Helene Cooper** of The New York Times, **Rich Lowry** of National Review and **Danielle Pletka** of AEI.

APRIL 16, 2017

MTP EXCLUSIVE: MCCAIN SAYS 'CHINA IS KEY' TO NORTH KOREA, 'WE SHOULD EXPECT THEM TO PREVENT WHAT COULD BE A CATACLYSMIC EVENT'

EXCLUSIVE: Sen. John McCain (R-Ariz.) on North Korea: "This may be the first test of this presidency" EXCLUSIVE: Sen. Jack Reed (D-R.I.) says Trump "needs a much stronger State Department" EXCLUSIVE: DHS Sec. John Kelly calls on Congress to fix U.S. immigration laws: "I would hope that the Congress fixes a lot of these problems" PLUS: Kelly on drug trafficking into the U.S.: "Marijuana is not a factor in the drug war"

In an exclusive live interview this morning, **Sen. John McCain (R-Ariz.), chair of the Senate Armed Services Committee,** told "Meet the Press" moderator Chuck Todd that "China is the key" to working with us on North Korea: "They can stop this if they want to because of their control over the North Korean economy ... Whether they're currency manipulators or not, we should expect them to act to prevent what could be a cataclysmic event."

"This may be the first test of this presidency," the senator added.

"As Senator McCain indicated, China is key to that strategy," echoed **Sen. Jack Reed (D-R.I.),** ranking member of the Senate Armed Services Committee. President Trump is "getting good military advice from General Mattis and General McMaster, but he needs a much stronger State Department."

Also joining the broadcast exclusively was **Gen. John Kelly (Ret.), U.S. Secretary of Homeland Security,** who told Todd that, in response to a threat from North Korea, "We would raise various threat levels in the event that something happened, and we felt as though that there was a possible threat. You always want to come down on the side of caution."

Kelly offered an example of someone who wasn't deported in previous administrations that is being deported now: "Someone, as an example, with multiple DUIs. Even a single DUI, depending on other aspects, would get you into the system." He also called on Congress to fix the country's immigration laws: "We have to straighten this out, and I place that squarely on the United States Congress."

And on this Easter Sunday, **Pastor JoAnn Hummel** of Bent Tree Bible Fellowship, **Bishop T.D. Jakes** of The Potter's House of Dallas and **Rabbi David Saperstein** of the Union for Reform Judaism joined Todd to discuss the role of religion in a time of heightened political rhetoric.

This morning's roundtable was comprised of The New York Times Magazine's **Mark Leibovich**, Demos' **Heather McGhee**, NBC News' **Andrea Mitchell** and former **Sen. John E. Sununu**

(R-N.H.) of The Boston Globe. Their conversations included addressing the president's tweet this morning on his tax returns.

APRIL 23, 2017

MTP EXCLUSIVE: TRUMP CHIEF OF STAFF BELIEVES GOVERNMENT WILL STAY OPEN, 'WOULD LIKE TO HAVE A VOTE THIS WEEK' ON HEALTHCARE

PLUS: Priebus says government funding bill will be enough "to move forward with either the construction or the planning" of the proposed border wall EXCLUSIVE: House Minority Leader Pelosi on the potential government shutdown: "The burden to keep it open is on the Republicans" ALSO: Sen. Rubio (R-Fla.) denies Miami Herald report of involvement in meeting between President Trump and Colombian presidents NEW: NBC News/Wall Street Journal poll numbers reveal nearly two-thirds of Americans give Trump low marks for first 100 days in office

In the face of a potential government shutdown this week, **Reince Priebus**, **chief of staff to President Trump**, exclusively told "Meet the Press" moderator Chuck Todd: "I believe it will" stay open.

On the continuing resolution for government funding, Priebus said that the money for border security will be enough "to move forward with either the construction or the planning, or enough for us to move forward through the end of September, to get going on the border wall and border security in regard to border patrol."

"We expect money for border security in this bill. And it ought to be," he added.

Priebus said he "would like to have a vote this week" on healthcare, "but again, it's not something that has to happen in order to define our success."

House Minority Leader Nancy Pelosi (D-Calif.) also exclusively joined the network's broadcast, telling Todd that, when it comes to the potential government shutdown, "the burden to keep it open is on the Republicans."

On the proposed border wall, Pelosi asserted that it is "expressing a sign of weakness" for the president; she also said that "of course" you can be a Democrat if you're pro-life.

Sen. Marco Rubio (R-Fla.) addressed recent reporting that he had been involved in arranging a visit between Trump and two former Colombian presidents at Mar-a-Lago, denying any role whatsoever and telling Todd: "I didn't even know they were in Florida."

The show debuted **new NBC News/Wall Street Journal poll numbers**, revealing that nearly two-thirds of Americans give the president poor of middling marks for his first 100 days in office.

APRIL 30, 2017

MEET THE PRESS EXCLUSIVE: VP PENCE SAYS 'MAYBE IN THE SHORT TERM' TAX REFORM PLAN WILL INCREASE DEFICIT

EXCLUSIVE: Pence on GOP health care reform: "I hope before the end of the year" PLUS: Pence says repealing and replacing the ACA will be done via "executive action" and "further legislation" EXCLUSIVE: Sen. Angus King (I-Maine) on lack of bipartisanship in the Senate: "There's not a culture of success"

Vice President Mike Pence exclusively told "Meet the Press" Moderator Chuck Todd this morning that the administration's tax reform proposal put forth this week will increase deficit "maybe in the short term."

"The only way to meet obligations that we face in deficits today, or long-term obligations in our entitlements, Chuck, is through growth," he said. "If we don't get this economy growing at three percent, or more as the President believes we can, we're never gonna meet the obligations that we've made today."

The vice president also addressed his party's promise to repeal and replace the Affordable Care Act, telling Todd it will be done "through a series of bills -- this first one that we're hopeful there'll be action in the House of Representatives soon -- and through executive action and through further legislation." The timeline? "I hope before the end of the year." Watch the full interview.

Maine Senators Susan Collins (R) and Angus King (I) – two senators from across the aisle – exclusively joined the network broadcast this morning on set to discuss bipartisanship in Congress. Obstacles in finding common ground include "the rise of ideological-driven groups on both the left and the right," "the divisions in our country," and "the Senate schedule," said the senators. Watch the full interview.

The New York Times' **Helene Cooper**, MSNBC's **Chris Matthews**, AEI's **Danielle Pletka** and Republican strategist and NBC News political analyst **Nicolle Wallace** discussed the latest in political news on this morning's roundtable, including the future of the Democratic Party.

MAY 7, 2017

MTP: HHS SEC. PRICE: GOP HEALTH CARE BILL IS 'A BETTER WAY TO COVER' PRE-EXISTING CONDITIONS, ADDRESSES LACK OF DIVERSITY IN ROSE GARDEN CELEBRATION

PLUS: Price on removal of W.H. Office of Drug Control: "I don't think the American people care," "What they care about is that we are absolutely addressing this opioid crisis" EXCLUSIVE: Sen. Blunt: House health care bill is "not dead on arrival" EXCLUSIVE: Sen. Feinstein on Yates' testimony tomorrow: She "apparently has some information as to who knew what when that"

In an interview on this morning's "Meet the Press," **Health and Human Services Sec. Tom Price** defended criticism that the health care bill passed by the House this week does not cover Americans with pre-existing conditions, telling **NBC News' Andrea Mitchell** that the 22 organizations disputing this are "not recognizing is that this is a different, and we believe, a better way to cover an individual with pre-existing illnesses and injuries because it allows for every single person to get the access to the kind of coverage that they want."

Price also addressed the lack of diversity and women in Thursday's Rose Garden celebration, telling Mitchell that those present were "prominent individuals who are leading in this area of health care."

When asked about the elimination of the White House Office of Drug Control in a time of an opioid epidemic, Price responded: "Now whether it's through an office within the White House or whether it's through a department, an agency of government, I don't think the American people care. What they care about is that we are absolutely addressing this opioid crisis in the most aggressive and effective manner possible."

Sen. Roy Blunt (R-Mo.) exclusively joined the network broadcast, telling Mitchell that the House health care bill is "not dead on arrival," but that the Senate will be "taking what the House was able to do, looking at that carefully and come up with what the Senate thinks the Senate can do."

Blunt also addressed Russian interference in the election ahead of former top Justice official Sally Yates' testimony tomorrow: "What was particularly wrong was General Flynn not being truthful about the substance of what he said and the campaign was apparently, or the transition rather, was apparently concerned about that early on, and it appears they should have been."

Sen. Dianne Feinstein (D-Calif.) exclusively reacted to the House bill coming to the Senate: "I don't know what the leader, McConnell, has in mind. I don't know that the thirteen white men, when you have five Republican women who are excluded from that, that these thirteen men are supposed to sit down and put something together."

Feinstein told Mitchell that Yates "apparently has some information as to who knew what when that she is willing to share. And that would be what she knew about Michael Flynn's connections to Russia and exactly what she knew they were."

MAY 14, 2017

'MEET THE PRESS' EXCLUSIVE: SEN. GRAHAM SAYS NEW FBI DIRECTOR SHOULD BE 'OUTSIDE THE POLITICAL LANE,' CALLS ON TRUMP TO 'BACK OFF' RUSSIA PROBE

PLUS: Sen. Schumer: Support for new FBI director is 'very much related' to a special prosecutor on Russia EXCLUSIVE: State Sec. Tillerson: 'Don't think there's any question that the Russians were playing around' in U.S. election New NBC News/WSJ Poll: Just 29 percent of Americans approve of Trump's firing of FBI Director Comey

Sen. Lindsey Graham (R-S.C.) exclusively told "Meet the Press" moderator Chuck Todd this morning that the president's choice for the next F.B.I. director should not be an elected official: "He has a duty and obligation to pick somebody beyond reproach outside the political lane."

"It's now time to pick someone who comes from within the ranks or has such a reputation that has no political background at all that can go into the job on day one," said Graham when asked about his colleague Sen. John Cornyn's interview yesterday for the role.

Sen. Graham also said "the president needs to back off here and let the investigation go forward" when it comes to looking into Russia's interference in the U.S. election.

Senate Minority Leader Chuck Schumer (D-N.Y.) told Todd the support for a new F.B.I. director is "very much related" to a special prosecutor for the Russia probe: "If you have an independent special prosecutor, then you really have the ability to get to the bottom of this, so it matters in terms of who the F.B.I. director is."

"I don't think there's any question that the Russians were playing around in our electoral processes," **Secretary of State Rex Tillerson** exclusively confirmed to Todd. When asked about this in terms of our relationship with Russia, Tillerson said: "We're not trying to start with a clean slate. I think terms like having a reset are overused. You cannot reset. You cannot erase the past."

New NBC News/Wall Street Journal poll numbers debuted on this morning's broadcast, revealing that just 29 percent of Americans approve of the president's firing of F.B.I. Director James Comey.

Joining this morning's roundtable for insight and analysis were **Matthew Continetti** of the Washington Free Beacon, **Hallie Jackson** of NBC News, **Katty Kay** of BBC News and **Eugene Robinson** of the Washington Post. Axios' **Jim VandeHei** also joined the panel for a discussion on a possible staff shake-up within the White House.

May 28, 2017

MEET THE PRESS: DHS SEC. KELLY: LEAKING CLASSIFIED INTEL IS 'DARN CLOSE TO TREASON, 'DON'T SEE ANY BIG ISSUE HERE' WITH KUSHNER/ RUSSIA COMMUNICATIONS

EXCLUSIVE: Former DNI Clapper when asked about communications between Kushner and Russians: "My dashboard warning light was clearly on" PLUS: Sen. Corker on Kushner: "He's more than glad to talk"

Homeland Security Secretary John Kelly told "Meet the Press" moderator Chuck Todd this morning that leaking classified intelligence is "borderline, if not over the line of treason."

"It's darn close to treason," he added. The secretary also addressed recent reporting that President Trump's son-in-law, White House Senior Adviser Jared Kushner, proposed a secret communication channel with the Kremlin so that discussions before the inauguration could not be detected: "His number one interest, really, is the nation, so you know there's a lot of different ways to communicate, backchannel, publicly with other countries. I don't see any big issue here relative to Jared." Watch the full interview.

James Clapper, former director of national intelligence, exclusively told Todd, that as director, when it came to Trump ties with Russia, his "dashboard warning light was clearly on." "I think that was the case with all of us in the intelligence community, very concerned about the nature of these approaches to the Russians," he said.

Clapper reacted to Kelly characterizing the leaking of information as "borderline treason": "I know Secretary Kelly takes this quite seriously and he should. Legal definition of what's treason? I'll leave that to the lawyers. But just from a practitioner's standpoint in the intelligence business, leaks are bad."

Sen. Bob Corker (R-Tenn.), chair of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, also responded to recent reporting of Kushner, who is under scrutiny related to the Russia investigations, though not a subject of the investigations: "Jared has said that he's more than willing to answer any and all questions. They reached out to us yesterday to make sure that we knew that was the case and I'm sure he's willing to do so."

Charlie Sykes, MSNBC political analyst and former radio talk show host, made his "Meet the Press" debut appearance, joining MSNBC's Joy-Ann Reid, The Wall Street Journal's Kimberley Strassel and The Cook Political Report's Amy Walter to discuss the week in politics, including this week's special election in Montana.

JUNE 4, 2017

MEET THE PRESS EXCLUSIVE: FMR. STATE SEC. KERRY: TRUMP FINDING A BETTER CLIMATE DEAL IS 'LIKE OJ SIMPSON SAYING HE'S GOING TO FIND THE REAL KILLER'

EXCLUSIVE: John Kerry on London terror attacks: "Travel ban will be cannon fodder to the recruiters" ALSO: EPA Administrator Scott Pruitt: Withdrawing from Paris climate agreement "was not a political decision" PLUS: Preview from NBC News anchor Megyn Kelly of her exclusive, one-on-one interview with Russian President Vladimir Putin, airing tonight on NBC at 7p/6c

Former Secretary of State John Kerry exclusively told "Meet the Press" moderator Chuck Todd that President Trump finding a better deal than the Paris climate accord is "like O.J. Simpson saying he's going to go out and find the real killer."

On the London terror attacks, Kerry said that Britain has "had a longstanding problem with respect to greater levels of alienation, a harder time assimilating into the broader British society, a lack of similar opportunity ... I'm going to leave it to her [Prime Minister Theresa May] and to them to sort that out, particularly five days before an election. "

He added: The "travel ban will be cannon fodder to the recruiters. It's the worst thing we could do. But we do need to do and we do extraordinary screening."

E.P.A. Administrator Scott Pruitt also joined this morning's broadcast, telling Todd that "the rest of the world applauded" the Paris climate accord "because it put us at an economic disadvantage." The decision of the United States to withdraw from the agreement "was not a political decision," he added.

Former Vice President Al Gore addressed the White House's economic defense for withdrawing from the climate deal: "The loss of jobs in the coal industry started with the mechanization of the coal industry. Natural gas started displacing coal and the fossil fuel sector, and promising to re-create the 19th century is not a visionary strategy for a successful 21st century."

NBC News chief foreign correspondent **Richard Engel** and NBC News national security analyst **Michael Leiter** shared the latest developments on the London terror attacks in the beginning of this morning's program. Engel reported live from London: "There is a concern that we might not be at the end of this. This is the holy month of Ramadan. ISIS has called for its supporters to carry out attacks during Ramadan."

NBC News anchor **Megyn Kelly** shared a preview of her exclusive, one-on-one interview with Russian President Vladimir Putin, who said that he "didn't even really talk" to former National Security Adviser Michael Flynn at a dinner both attended in December 2015.

Democratic strategist **Stephanie Cutter**, The Washington Post's **Michael Gerson**, radio talk show host **Hugh Hewitt** and Demos President **Heather McGhee** addressed the week in news, including the upcoming hearing of former F.B.I. Director James Comey.

June 18, 2017

'THE PRESIDENT IS NOT UNDER INVESTIGATION FROM THE SPECIAL COUNSEL,'
TRUMP LAWYER TELLS 'MEET THE PRESS' MODERATOR CHUCK TODD

PLUS: Trump Lawyer Sekulow: "He's not afraid of the investigation. There is no investigation" ALSO: Sen. Rubio on the Russia probe: "The president's pretty fired up about this" EXCLUSIVE: Sen. King says "the collusion, the cooperation aspect of this investigation is not over ... We're 20 percent into it"

"The president is not under investigation from the special counsel," **Jay Sekulow, a member of President Trump's legal team, told** "Meet the Press" moderator Chuck Todd this morning.

"He's not afraid of the investigation. There is no investigation," he added.

Sen. Marco Rubio (R-Fla.), a member of the Senate Intelligence Committee, noted "one thing we've learned, I think, from the testimony of multiple people now is the President's pretty fired up about this," referring to the Russia probe.

He also addressed legislation passed earlier this week by the Senate that would impose additional sanctions against Russia and limit the president's power to lift them in the future: "I personally believe that at the core of the resistance is not the president, and I don't think the president himself has a problem with additional sanctions on Russia."

"I can say categorically that the collusion, the cooperation aspect of the investigation is not over. And as far as that goes, I'd say we're 20 percent into it," **Sen. Angus King (I-Maine)**, who also serves on the Senate Intelligence Committee, exclusively shared on this morning's broadcast.

The program's roundtable this morning was comprised of **David Brooks** from The New York Times, **Danielle Pletka** of the American Enterprise Institute, **Eugene Robinson** of The Washington Post and **Amy Walter** of The Cook Political Report; their discussions included the president's tweets and this week's congressional baseball shooting.

JUNE 25, 2017

"MEET THE PRESS" EXCLUSIVE: JOHNSON ON HEALTHCARE VOTE: 'DELAY THE THING,' SANDERS: 'NO WAY ON GOD'S EARTH THAT THIS BILL SHOULD BE PASSED THIS WEEK'

Wis. Sen. Ron Johnson (R): "These bills aren't going to fix the problem" Vt. Sen. Bernie Sanders (I): "There has not been one public hearing" on healthcare bill Ohio Rep. Tim Ryan (D) on party's Pelosi criticism: "This is not about us having a family fight publicly"

In an exclusive interview this morning, **Sen. Ron Johnson (R-Wis.)** told "Meet the Press" moderator Chuck Todd that, when it comes to the Senate healthcare bill vote slated for this Thursday, he "would like to delay the thing." "There's no way we should be voting on this next week. No way," he said.

"What I find so disappointing is these bills aren't going to fix the problem. They're not addressing the root cause. They're doing the same old Washington thing, throwing more money at the problem," the senator added.

Sen. Bernie Sanders (I-Vt.) exclusively agreed with Johnson on this morning's broadcast to delay the Senate healthcare vote: "Sen. Johnson is right. There is no way on God's earth that this bill should be passed this week."

Sanders, who argued that "we need a serious discussion" and that "there has not been one public hearing" on health care, also addressed the week's special GA-06 election: "There is a massive

amount of demoralization on the part of the American people with the Democratic Party, with the Republican Party."

Reps. Tim Ryan (D-Ohio) and Debbie Dingell (D-Mich.) exclusively joined "Meet the Press" to discuss the future of the Democratic Party and House Minority Leader Nancy Pelosi's leadership. "This is not about us having a family fight publicly," said Ryan. In reference to this week's special GA-06 election: "It would be hard for us to say that after five million being spent tying that candidate to her [Pelosi], that it didn't have some effect. The Republicans wouldn't still be using this if it didn't have some effect. And so it's still being used for a reason." Dingell noted: "If you'd get pragmatic, we always attack the leader. I don't care who it is."

This morning's roundtable, which discussed the week in politics, including the Better Care Reconciliation Act and Rep. Pelosi's leadership, was comprised of The New York Times' **Helene Cooper**, NBC News' **Hallie Jackson**, The New York Times Magazine's **Mark Leibovich** and syndicated columnist **George F. Will.**

WSFA EDITORIALS

Each of the following editorials aired twice per week during the quarter and were also posted on the station website.

Editorial: "The Clock is Ticking on Obamacare"

Posted: April 4, 2017 12:35 PM CDT

Then candidate Donald Trump had a very simple message on what he would do to make America great again. He was going to bring back jobs to America, build a wall to protect our southern border with Mexico and repeal Obamacare.

Those who did vote for Trump were adamant that these issues be at the forefront of his administration and wanted swift action to get these things done.

Though he did not win 50 percent of the vote, the repealing of Obamacare resonated with a majority of those in the U.S. Yet despite this, the Republicans failed on their first attempt to repeal it.

During the past five years, the Republicans did nothing but demand that the ACA be abolished. That was a core theme to their election efforts and yet during these past five years, no one in the Republican Party could come up with a better solution -- a solution that would answer the call for a system that was truly better for all.

Imagine if your boss told you that the job you were doing wasn't getting the desired results and you needed to come up with a better game plan, do you think they would allow you five years to do it?

The President's first test to get rid of Obamacare has failed. If this overly complicated and business-debilitating health care program is not reformed or repealed and replaced with something better by midterm elections, expect the Republicans to lose the Senate majority and gridlock like we have never seen before will ensue!

Editorial: "What A Weekend!"

Posted: April 6, 2017 6:06 PM CDT

We have had a couple of lousy days this past week weather wise. So, it's nice to see a wonderful forecast for this weekend because there is so much to do.

This is the opening weekend for the Montgomery Biscuits. Starting their 14th year of providing great baseball, family entertainment and a fabulous venue.

The Maxwell Air Show also takes place Saturday and Sunday! This will be a celebration of the Air Force's 70th Anniversary going this weekend. The best part is Admission is free to the public. I suggest you plan early because it will be well attended. The highlight of each day of course will be the U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds.

But wait there's more. Grammy Award-winning country music star Clint Black will headline Stars in the Park, an outdoor concert on the grounds of the Alabama Shakespeare Festival this Saturday, evening at 8 p.m. Additionally Blackbird Pickers, Jason Givens and the Wanderers, Jessie Lynn, and Act of Congress will be performing.

Montgomery has it going on!

The weather is perfect and these are great events you shouldn't miss. These kinds of weekends make you proud to live in central Alabama and our country....Enjoy – I may see you there!

Editorial: "Farewell Robert Bentley" Posted: April 11, 2017 5:03 PM CDT

Gov. Robert Bentley woke up today as citizen Robert Bentley probably wondering what just happened. As he laid in bed looking up at the ceiling he might have thought about the past seven years and what he deemed were his accomplishments, including an improved education system, new jobs, a better economy and improvement in our transportation.

But I wonder if Alabamians will remember any of these things when they think of Mr. Bentley.

What he should think about is what he did to the reputation of this state and to the office he so unceremoniously left. He, in my opinion, disgraced us and will be forever known as the "Luv Gov." He was a man enthralled by the power and notoriety of the job and it is the same job that consumed him and ultimately destroyed him.

I wonder if the glimmer and glean of his title and power that caused him to make poor choices make him as attractive as he was to some now that it is gone? Had he been honest from the beginning, apologized, and resigned when his scandal broke, I sense most would forgive and forget, but his defiance to the end though guilty make us wanting him to never return.

Gov. Kay Ivey most likely would not have wanted to become governor in the fashion that she did. She has much to do to hone our state government's attention to matters that mean the most to the citizens of Montgomery and the state of Alabama. I wish her much success.

Editorial: "Gov. Ivey.... Save Us Some Money"

Gov. Kay Ivey will be in office through the end of 2018 and could be in office four years more should she choose to run and win re-election.

The governor and her staff have been hard at work for the past couple of days, and she has already made some sweeping changes. I am here to offer a couple of suggestions on a few money saving tips.

These of course will by no means balance the state budget, but they just make sense and every effort to save tax payer money sends the right message to we the citizens.

First, I would suggest Governor Ivey not invest in new name plates, which are erected on the "Welcome to Sweet Home Alabama" signs located on the interstate highways. Frankly, I really don't understand why this is done in the first place. And there is no need to have new ones made – just remove the signs with our former governor's name.

Second, there is the subject of the printed state maps that are free to those who visit our welcome centers. With GPS, Google and smartphones I am not sure why we would invest in these maps anyway, but if we continue to do so, let's use the maps with the face of the former governor until they run out and when it is time to re-stock let's make them generic with no reference of a governor.

It is this kind of cost saving mentality we need to incorporate in state government. All we ask is that our legislators think like we do when spending our money – little cost saving measures do add up.

Editorial: "Negotiating for Dummies"

I continue to be disappointed in how our government in Washington DC doesn't function anymore.

By functioning I mean accomplishing anything. We no longer get things done because neither side of the political divide chooses to work with the other. The art of compromise is dead in Washington.

I think back to the days when President Ronald Reagan and the Republicans had the White House and the Senate, and the Democrats controlled the House with Tip O'Neil serving as the speaker of the house. Reagan and O'Neil could not have differed more on policy and yet, somehow they compromised on key issues and got the job done.

Former President Bill Clinton and the Democrats had the White House and the Republicans had the Senate and the House. I think we all know how the Republicans thought of Mr. Clinton, and yet when it was time to get their work done they did so through compromise.

Neither of the political parties will ever see eye to eye on most major issues. Both parties must realize there is give and take in every negotiation. I suggest our representatives work on their compromising skills.

I might suggest they read the book entitled: The Art of Negotiation: How to Improvise Agreement in a Chaotic World or for some maybe read the book entitled Negotiating for Dummies. Either way, they need to put our country's best interests first and start compromising.

Editorial: "First Amendment" Posted: April 20, 2017 5:34 PM CDT

One of the most important liberties we are granted here in this great country of ours is the First Amendment, the freedom of religion, the freedom of speech and the freedom of the press.

Thinking back to when the amendments were created, I am certain our founding fathers assumed the right of free speech would be an individual or individuals gathering to voice their concerns and point of view.

These views in the eyes of our Constitution creators were to be done without the risk of being penalized by the government. I am sensing that at no point did this freedom mean to endorse or encourage the right to riot or brutally attack those with differing views.

What we are seeing now from groups like Antifa and ALT Right violently clashing over differing views is not the answer. I like most, am passionate about my views and I certainly want to make my points known.

However, as much as I disagree with someone or something, I was raised to respect others. Imagine one of these rioters going home after one of these clashes and telling their parents or children "Yeah, I got to punch someone in the face today. They don't believe in the same things I do. I showed them."

Really? What was truly accomplished by these actions....

I would suggest these folks use this freedom to peacefully make their point and do it often and then use this same passion in exercising their right to vote and getting others with similar views to do the same.

Editorial: "Consider a Lower Gas Tax"

I usually am the first to say no to raising taxes, but I have a different view when it comes to a gasoline tax - especially here in Alabama.

The gasoline tax is seemingly a bit fairer as most everyone drives a car so most folks will have to pay it. The state would benefit from this and so would Alabamians. Many motorists drive through Alabama to get to their final destination but do not reside in our state.

These same people would be adding to our coffers when they purchase gasoline. The average \$2.15 we currently pay per gallon includes the 18 cents we are now assessed as a gas tax. We have been paying that same tax amount for the past 25 years.

Bridges and roads will not repair themselves and fixing them does cost money. The cost for repair has only increased over the past 25 years. The legislature failed to pass a gas tax bill this session where the bill proposed an increase of the current gasoline tax by 4 cents in September, another 2 cents in September 2019 and an additional 3 cents in 2024. This would have funded a \$2.4 billion bond.

To start the first year off at 4 cents was the wrong approach. They should have proposed a 2 cent increase. Based on a once a week fill up, the average car owner would have been assessed approximately \$1.50 more per month and the average pickup truck owner would have paid an extra \$2.50 per month. Once again the government asked for too much money. It's not like we aren't currently paying a tax.

Bottom line: no one wants to pay higher taxes, and yet somehow, we need to pay for improving our roads and bridges. However, the government needs to work on a game plan that does not increase sticker shock.

Editorial: "Tip, Montgomery!" Posted: April 27, 2017 10:40 AM CDT

If you get a good look at me you will know that one of my passions is eating. I genuinely love going out to eat. I have been in Montgomery 14 weeks now and have visited many, many local eating establishments.

I bring this up not to highlight I need a diet, but to remind folks that when you go to a sit-down restaurant you need to tip your servers.

The average restaurant waitress or waiter receives \$2.19 per hour. This figure is well below the minimum wage. The servers make their money through their tips. The rule of thumb for tipping is 15 to 20 percent on the total bill. There are some who will back out taxes and only tip on the meal portion, which I don't agree with.

What is considered a worse practice in my opinion is not tipping at all. If the service is not up to your standards, pay 10 percent and let management know.

The good waiters and waitresses will leave an eating establishment if there is a trend of no tipping. If this happens, the restaurants are often forced to settle and hire servers with less experience. Nine times out of 10 these are people who are not cut out for a job that requires excellence in customer service.

Even if the food is good, this results in chronic bad service, which then leads to bad online reviews. Bad reviews for service will cripple and ultimately close a restaurant.

So, keep the good restaurants open by tipping your waiters and waitresses. I will be here through Friday. Try the veal.

Guest Editorial: Montgomery Director of Public Safety Posted: May 4, 2017 4:05 PM CDT

Within the Department of Public Safety, we are doing everything we know to do to respond to crime and prevent it. But violent crime isn't just a police issue. It's also about education, jobs, families, public health, and spiritual health. We all share the need to resolve violent crime, especially violent crime involving our young people.

As Director of Public Safety, I'm concerned about youth violence, but I'm also concerned about youth development. I am concerned for young people who have obstacles that could prevent them from growing into productive citizens and reaching their full potential.

What does it take for young people to learn conflict resolution, character, ethics, teamwork? How do they stay in school and get a good education? How do they stay away from drugs, gangs, criminal activity? And how do young people learn that you don't have to fight or pull a gun to be respected?

It takes parents, grandparents, teachers, police, neighbors, the media ... it takes all of us.

I was on South Court Monday after the fatal shooting of 14-year-old Jacquerria Timmons, our 14th homicide victim. I was on East Park in March after Maribel Barrera, just 13 years old, was shot to death. They're not the only young homicide victims this year; and of the 11 suspects MPD has charged with murder, seven have been teenagers.

When it comes to preventing violence and protecting our youth, the Department of Public Safety is all in. MPD partners with the DA's Helping Montgomery Families Initiative and MPS; they are all in with community policing and social service agencies; we work with young people through Park, Walk & Talk, the Junior Police Academy, Explorers, and other programs. And we're also involved with the mayor's new youth initiative.

There are no easy answers, but Montgomery is a city of committed citizens who are getting a lot of good work done. Your Department of Public Safety is all in, and we're asking you to make the same commitment to the youth of Montgomery. Thank you.

Editorial: "Rules of the Road" Posted: May 9, 2017 2:56 PM CDT

According to a recent Carinsurance.com study, Alabama has risen to the fifth most dangerous state for teenage drivers.

Car accidents are the No.1 cause of teenage deaths. The reason for this includes texting and driving, talking on the cell phone, drinking, distractions from too many passengers, usually other teens, and speeding. A Centers for Disease Control and Prevention survey reports that Alabama and Montana have the highest percentage rate of teens drinking while driving. In the same survey Alabama has the ninth highest percentage of teens who text while driving.

All states have Graduated Driver Licensing or GDL programs designed to prepare teens to become better drivers. These include three stages: Beginning stage -- supervised driving, culminating with a driving test; Intermediate Stage -- limiting unsupervised driving in high risk situations; and Full Privilege Stage: a standard driver's license.

Alabama's GDL is far from the strongest. According to the Insurance Institute for Highway Safety, if Alabama matched the toughest GDL requirements in the nation (permit age, practice driving hours, license age and night driving and passenger restrictions) it could reduce fatal crashes involving teen drivers by 45 percent.

States with stricter GDL programs have much lower death rates among their teen drivers. Our state should re-examine and expand ours.

As parents it is our responsibility to ensure our children are aware of the consequences of distracted driving and driving under the influence. How many more kids have to die before this is done, leaving their parents to wrestle with the question: "If only I had done more?"

Editorial: "Final Week of the Legislative Session"

This is the final week of the Alabama Legislative Session and based on what has not been accomplished thus far might make one wonder what they still have left to do. I can tell you it is a lot!

In my opinion, the biggest thing the 2017 legislature has passed so far is the General Fund Budget.

What they still need to work on during this final week is the state mandated education bill, a prison bill, the highly touted autism bill, the daycare inspection bill and the midwife bill. The permit less gun carry bill is likely dead.

My fear is the delays and non-action on behalf of our legislature will once again require a special session. I mentioned a while back that Alabama has had three special sessions over as many years with little or nothing to show for it other than a \$420,000 bill. That money is our hard-earned tax dollars getting thrown away.

I believe it is high time for our representatives to buckle down and get some work done. When <u>we</u> are behind at work, we put in the extra hours to meet our deadline.

We don't have the luxury of extending the deadline. In the working world accomplishing nothing on a regular basis means we can count on looking for new employment - something our legislators should consider as we get closer to another election cycle.

Editorial: "Safeguard Your Hard Earned Money"

Posted: May 19, 2017 12:12 PM CDT

So, you pull up to get gas and you put your card in the pump, and just like that a thief just stole your credit or debit card info. Hard to believe isn't it?

It's called a card skimmer.

This has been happening in Alabama and across the U.S. Thousands upon thousands of dollars have been stolen from bank accounts through a multi-city skimming operation.

Here are a few ways to keep your bank account safer:

Check the card reader at the gas pump or ATM. If it looks different, give it a tug to see if someone has inserted a skimmer into the card slot. Another way to stay safe is to use cash or get a chip card. Every time you use a chip card it generates a unique transaction code so copying that one transaction doesn't do the thief any good.

It seems that all credit card companies should issue chip reader cards to help keep our finances safer. There seems to be a slow transition in fully integrating the chip reader technology and, in my opinion, this needs to accelerate.

Technology can do some pretty amazing things these days. We work very hard for our money, so businesses need to figure out how to keep thieves from being able to steal it so easily through a simple scanner.

Editorial: "Grading the 2017 Session"

Posted: May 23, 2017 9:04 PM CDT

Alabama lawmakers ended the 2017 legislative session Friday by passing a number of bills.

Among the bills signed into law were:

- An autism coverage bill
- A redistricting bill that requires 12 districts to be remapped
- A midwifery bill that allows certified midwives to deliver babies
- A proposal to vote on adding that Alabama is a "right to life" state in our state constitution
- A bill ending its outlier status allowing a judge to override a jury's recommendations in death penalty cases
- A bill prohibiting the removal, alteration and relocation of any confederate monument standing on public property for 40 years or more.
- A bill preventing the state from refusing to license faith-based adoption organizations that refuse to place children with gay parents or families on religious grounds

Among the bills that failed to pass were:

- The proposal to build four new mega prisons
- A bill to expand tax breaks to encourage donations to a state program for scholarships to private K-12 schools
- The House-passed bill that would require all childcare facilities taking government subsidies to be licensed
- The bill allowing online fantasy sports contests

- The bill allowing a Birmingham church to establish its own police department
- The permit-less gun carry bill

I am hearing lawmakers say we are going into a special session. If this is the case and if I were grading the legislature, I would give them an F as they have once again failed to look after our hard-earned tax dollars.

Editorial: "Memorial Day"

Posted: May 25, 2017 10:47 PM CDT

This coming Monday, our nation celebrates Memorial Day. The Memorial Day weekend starts after work on Friday and culminates on Monday.

According to History.com "Memorial Day, is an American holiday observed on the last Monday of May, honoring men and women who died while serving in the U.S. military. Originally known as Decoration Day, it originated in the years following the Civil War and became an official federal holiday in 1971."

Megan Crigger and Laura Santhanam from PBS Newshour wrote that "over 1.1 million US service men and women have died in all US battles" dating back to the American Revolution.

Everyone likes a holiday, and I hope you have a safe and peaceful one. I hope everyone takes a moment this weekend while enjoying time with family and friends to reflect, honor, and remember those who have died fighting for keeping America safe and free.

We reside in the greatest country on this earth and enjoy freedoms that so many others can only hope for. Freedom is never free and we should always be grateful to those who paid the ultimate price.

Editorial: "Summer Fund and Food Drive"

Posted: June 1, 2017 11:03 AM CDT

Friday is our annual Summer Fund and Food Drive to benefit the Montgomery Area Food Bank. The Food Bank is an amazing organization that processes over 700 tractor trailer loads every year amounting to over 20 million pounds of food.

The food bank provides food for over 300,000 Alabama residents residing across 35 counties. That's 25,000 square miles of this state. This event is possible due to the support of our great – local, neighborhood - partners at Renfroe's Market, Adams Drugs, Dixie Electric and of course you - our loyal viewers.

Hunger is not a choice. I encourage other local businesses and those who wish to help this worthwhile cause to do so by bringing your nonperishable food donations and monetary donations to the Renfroe's Grocery store location off Chantilly Parkway Friday from 5 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Let's show our neighbors in need how generous we are here in the River Region. I personally thank you in advance for giving so generously.

Editorial: "Crossing the Comedic Line"

Posted: June 6, 2017 6:40 PM CDT

How far is too far when it comes to comedy? How far can one push the envelope before stepping over the line?

Kathy Griffin's "comedic" bit showcasing the decapitated head of President Trump went too far. Her failed attempt at humor was disgusting, and she deserves what comes of it. No matter what your opinion of the current president, anything related to beheading is simply not funny.

In an online apology Miss Griffin stated "I am just now seeing the reactions to these images" and then goes on to apologize. The problem is she only apologized because of the outcry from both Trump supporters and even many of those not in the president's corner.

Sadly, Griffin and her staff thought this was funny. I wonder how funny they think it is now with Miss Griffin being cut from her employer CNN and the loss of her endorsement deal with Squatty Potty as well as the cancelation of her shows.

She is now claiming to be the victim and is upset that the first family has expressed their feelings regarding her stunt.

Miss Griffin had the free speech rights to express herself this way, as disgusting as it was. But her critics also have free speech rights to criticize her for it.

Free speech goes both ways...and karma does as well.

Editorial: "Is Prison a Deterrent"

Posted: June 13, 2017 5:49 PM CDT

Kudos to the Alabama Department of Corrections for working to rid our state prisons of crimes being committed within the prison walls.

Last month, five correctional officers from the Staton Correctional Facility in Elmore County were arrested following a three-month investigation.

The correctional officers are accused of using their positions in the prisons to provide inmates such contraband as drugs and cellphones and accepting items in return for personal gain. According to prison officials, all but one of the officers has resigned.

These arrests raise questions about how much potential imprisonment really serves as a deterrent to crime. I would think that working in a prison would provide enough visual examples to discourage anyone from ever breaking the law.

Apparently not, as a sixth correctional officer, this time from Bullock Correction Facility, was arrested this week for attempting to smuggle contraband, unlawful possession of a controlled substance and using his position for personal gain.

He, too, has resigned. If these individuals are found guilty of their alleged crimes and thrown in prison, I wonder if they will be looking for the same contraband that got them locked up? While working in the prison, I hope they treated the inmates with respect, since they may soon be their new roommates.

Editorial: "Vacation Security Program" Posted: June 15, 2017 8:12 AM CDT

I am very grateful for the work the Montgomery Police Department does every day in doing what is necessary to keep our city safe. I now have to give them additional kudos for what they are now offering to the citizens of Montgomery. If you reside in the city limits and are worried about your home being broken into while on vacation or out of town the Montgomery police department has a solution.

VIPS, which stands for Volunteers in Police services, will check on your house every day while you're away to make sure nothing happens while you're gone. You will be contacted by the police if any unusual or criminal activity is spotted on your property.

There's no cost for this service. All you have to do is dial 311 to let them know when you'll be out of town and when you're coming back home. You can also set this up online. If you live outside the Montgomery city limits contact your local police department and see if they can provide the same type of service.

Now if someone can come up with MMYWIG, which is Mow My Yard While I Am Gone, at no charge, we'll be all set.

Editorial: "The State Should Not Sell Booze"

Posted: June 20, 2017 11:01 AM CDT

According to the National Alcoholic Beverage Control Association, Alabama is one of 17 states with a government agency dedicated to managing liquor sales.

I for one think it is necessary to have regulations and guidance on how alcoholic beverages are to be sold in retail outlets. That is what a government should do. However, I don't think a state government should be in the business of directly selling alcohol.

Just last week the ABC Board voted to increase the state markup of alcohol from 30 percent to 35 percent. Price hikes happen. The excise tax nor the sales tax were increased. What bothers me is that the independent liquor store owners who have to compete against the Alabama government state run liquor stores have to charge you the state sales tax of 6 percent and any local city and county sales taxes. But the ABC stores only charge the 6 percent sales tax.

There has been a 30 percent markup on every bottle sold by the state. A 25 percent markup is used to pay for operations of the ABC Board, and the remaining 5 percent markup goes to the state's General Fund.

I think our state government should solely regulate alcohol products and usage and get out of the sales side of the business. Let local investors help grow the economy by creating public sector jobs and let local businesses thrive without having to compete unfairly against the government.

Editorial: "Seat Belts Save" Posted: June 22, 2017 6:08 PM CDT

As we move into the heart of summer and prime vacation season – here are a couple of reminders. In the first six months of this year...122 people have died in auto accidents and they were not wearing a seat belt.

The Alabama seat belt law requires all persons in the front seat of a motor vehicle to wear a seat belt securely fastened. Time and time again we see videos provided by dashboard cameras which reveal just how vulnerable we are as automobile passengers when in an accident. Without wearing a seat belt we are helpless.

We need to get into the habit early on of wearing a seat belt. Parents need to secure their children with seat belts the moment they sit in the car. They also need to secure the car seats. Once this is done, they then need to secure themselves. No car should ever be put in drive without the driver confirming all passengers and themselves have fastened and secured their seat belts.

Be safe this summer and buckle up! The fine for being caught by law enforcement without wearing a seat belt is \$25. The penalty for not wearing a seat belt while driving and in an auto accident often times is death!

Editorial: "Tragic Gun Violence" Posted: June 27, 2017 12:27 PM CDT

I am deeply disturbed by the continual gun violence involving juveniles that is taking place in communities in our area.

Within the past six months, three children have died from gunshot wounds in Montgomery alone. The shooters in two of these cases were juveniles and the ages of the deceased were 14, 13 and nine years of age. This is tragic.

I am a believer in the Second Amendment and do not think that the right to bear arms should ever be abolished. I do, however, think that gun owners should be held responsible for actions related to gun violence involving their guns.

Often times these guns are reported stolen but were they properly secured? There must be more effort in storing and securing weapons so they are not stolen. Additionally, the parents of juveniles responsible for any shooting incidents should also be held accountable. There should be laws in place to punish accordingly.

Accidents happen, but if gun owners properly secure these weapons, and parents get involved in the daily activities of their children, chances are we will see a reduction in these senseless deaths.

Editorial: "Pay Attention to The Road"

No message received or sent on your wireless device is worth putting your or other's lives at risk. According to the Drive Safe Alabama website, a texting driver is 23 times more likely to get into a crash than a non-texting driver. A quarter of teenagers respond to a text message one or more times each time they drive.

DMV.com states that in Alabama, drivers are banned from sending, receiving or writing text messages while driving a vehicle. First time offenders are subject to a \$25 fine and receive two demerit points on their driver's license. A second offense increases the fine to \$50. The third time the fine increases to \$75.

I think these fines need to be increased, but perhaps more important, a loss of driving privileges for a period of time should come on the second offense. That's especially true for teen drivers. The fines and penalties must be strong enough to deter distracted driving. I, like many people, witness motorists driving erratically and putting people at risk. When I drive by these vehicles it never fails; I see someone texting while driving.

I implore everyone to think and not text and drive. When you get into your vehicles, put your phone away or turn it off. Distracted driving does one thing and one thing only: it kills people

WSFA aired the following Public Service Announcements (PSA's) covering issues of community concern which aired extensively during the quarter with a minimum of 10 airings each:

PSA:	Without Lo	cal/Broadca	ast News SOURCE: NAB
HOUSE	AIRINGS	LENGTH	Highlights the role local news plays in everyday life and the
DCM360, DCM361	203	:30	importance of such programs
PSA:	ALABAMA	DHR	SOURCE: Alabama Broadcasters Association
HOUSE	AIRINGS	LENGTH	Alabama Broadcaster's Association Spot which emphasizes
DPS398, DPS589	67	:30	adoption and encourages viewers to "open their hearts."
PSA:	AL Housing	Authority	SOURCE: Alabama Broadcasters
HOUSE	AIRINGS	LENGTH	Helping Alabama Residents with Mortgage and Home issues
DPS556	72	30	
PSA:	ALDOT		SOURCE: ABA
HOUSE	AIRINGS	LENGTH	PSA Promoting Bicycle Safety
DPS581	91	30	
PSA:	ALABAMA	P.A.L.S.	SOURCE: ABA
HOUSE	AIRINGS	LENGTH	People Against a Littered State. Ecology Awareness
DPS750	42	30	
PSA:	ALDOL Care	eer Center	SOURCE: ABA
HOUSE	AIRINGS	LENGTH	Highlighting Statewide Career Centers from the Alabama
DPS583, DPS582	72	30	Department of Labor
PSA:	Alabama W	orks .	SOURCE: ABA
HOUSE	AIRINGS	LENGTH	Program designed to put Alabama Residents back to Work
DPS579	103	30	and to focus on hiring local employees

WSFA also sponsors organizations and events which address problems and issues in our area. The following list includes promotional announcements produced by WSFA that aired extensively during the quarter.

YMCA Wing Fest	Community Development
Alzheimer's Outreach Spring Dinner	Healthcare/Community Development
Summer Fund and Food Drive	Community Development
March for Babies	Healthcare/Community Development
Montgomery Chamber	Community Development
Weather Radio Programming Events	Environment
Babypalooza	Healthcare/Community Development
Maxwell Air Show	Community Development
Gigi's for Babies	Healthcare/Community Development
Joy to Life/Walk of Life	Healthcare/Community Development
Prattville City Fest	Community Development

The following pages present a **sampling** of the local issue-related reporting in WSFA's local news programs for the quarter:

<u>Issue</u>	<u>Date</u>	Program	<u>Segment</u>	<u>Summary</u>	Duration
Community	4/5/2017	Alahama Liva	MONTGOMERY BISCUITS	Tomorrow is opening night for the Montgomery Biscuits And as always there are	0:04:22
Development	4/5/2017	Alabama Live	BISCUITS	special things	0:04:22
Community Development	4/6/2017	Alabama Live	Opening Day & New Season	Tonight the biscuits kick off their 14th season First game is set against the Biloxi shuck	0:03:38
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Community Development	4/6/2017	Alabama Live	Biscuits Food Service	As fans of the Biscuits know there a variety of food options offered at Riverwalk Stadium But	0:04:07
				Today, marks the 100th anniversary of the day the United	
Community Development	4/6/2017	Alabama Live	Thunderbirds Air Show Preview	States entered World War I Many of US	0:03:05

Community Development	4/7/2017	Alabama Live	Maxwell Air Show	Happening this weekend, Maxwell Air Force Base is holding its "heritage to horizon" air show a	0:02:44
Community Development	4/10/2017	Alabama Live	LEADERSHIP MONTGOMERY UNITY AWARD BREAKFAST	DO YOU KNOW SOMEONE IN THE COMMUNITY THAT REACHES ACROSS CULTURAL LINES AND MAKES THE RIVER REGION	0:01:31
Community Development	4/11/2017	Alabama Live	2017 HandsOn River Region Volunteer of the Year	For more than 40 years, HandsOn River Region has been honoring individuals and groups who give their	0:05:05
Community Development	4/13/2017	Alabama Live	What's cool in MGM	Looking for something to do this weekend we have a few suggestions that might help you out	0:06:46
Community Development	4/14/2017	Alabama Live	Riverfront Easter Eggstravaganza Kids Fest	family together for the 2017 Riverfront Easter Eggstravaganza Kids Fest, which be FOUR-TIME OLYMPIC	0:04:24
Community Development	4/18/2017	Alabama Live	LISA LESLIE: Women's National Basketball Association	GOLD MEDALIST AND W-N-B-A SUPERSTAR LISA LESLIE IS NO STRANGER TO AN ACTIVE LIFEST	0:04:05
Community Development	4/19/2017	Alabama Live	Elevate Your Grind Inc. Summer Camps	Elevate Your Grind Inc.is designed to help empower individuals to achieve goals, turn obstacles into	0:04:35
Community Development	4/20/2017	Alabama Live	What's cool in MGM 27	Looking for something to do this weekend	0:04:19

we have a few suggestions that might help you out.....

Community Development	4/20/2017	Alabama Live	Tie and Doll Spring Workshops	The local youth organization, Tie and Doll, Inc is gearing up to host their annual All TIEd Up works	0:04:26
Community Development	4/21/2017	Alabama Live	16th ANNUAL SWINGING FORE SENIORS	If you enjoy playing golf next week you can do so and help seniors in the River Region during the 16 if you love food like all of us And you like to	0:03:27
Community Development	4/21/2017	Alabama Live	4th Annual Taste of Prattville	try many different dishes in your area then	0:03:20
Community Development	4/24/2017	Alabama Live	12th annual Bark in the Park	It's become one Prattville's favorite traditions! this weekend - "Bark in the Park" returns!	0:03:42
Community Development	4/24/2017	Alabama Live	MAY IS NATIONAL BIKE MONTH	May is National Bike Month It's a chance to showcase the benefits of bicycling - and encourage more This weekend in Troy	0:04:31
Community Development	4/25/2017	Alabama Live	Troyfest 2017	thousands of people are expected to take part in the fun and art at the annual If you are a taco lover this next event	0:04:05
Community Development	4/25/2017	Alabama Live	Taco Libre 2017	is right up your alley, Taco Libre Montgomery Libre	0:03:13
Community Development	4/26/2017	Alabama Live	Brantwood's Truck Raffle	Brantwood children's home has been providing a safe	0:03:47

				environment for abused and neglected children in	
Community Development	4/26/2017	Alabama Live	Holtville High School Fundraiser Bass Tournament	Do you like fishing then Holtville High School is inviting you to their first Bass Tournament	0:03:38
Community Development	4/27/2017	Alabama Live	What's cool in MGM	Looking for something to do this weekend we have a few suggestions that might help you out	0:02:02
Community Development	4/27/2017	Alabama Live	The Montgomery Biscuits: Military Appreciation Night	Once again, The Montgomery Biscuits will give back to the men and women of the military at Riverwalk	0:03:34
Community Development	4/28/2017	Alabama Live	Montgomery Auburn Club Golf Tournament	The Montgomery Auburn Club will host their 20th Annual Scholarship Golf Tournament in exactly a week	0:03:04
Community Development	4/28/2017	Alabama Live	YMCA: Wing Festival	If you like different flavors of chicken wings and you also like supporting a great cause the	0:04:11
Community Development	5/1/2017	Alabama Live	the Carver Festival 2017	The City of Tuskegee is getting ready to celebrate the birthday of famed scientist George Washington	0:05:12
Community Development	5/1/2017	Alabama Live	YMCA: Mother Son Date Night	With May comes Mother's Day although it might be in two weeks but the Kershaw Y-M-C-A is	0:02:47

Community Development	5/2/2017	Alabama Live	Created 2 Recover: Michael Moore Photography	Kicking off the month of May Michael Moore Photography is introducing its new not-for-profit org	0:02:49
Community Development	5/2/2017	Alabama Live	Prayer Breakfast in Montgomery	Millions of people across the country will bow their heads and take part in the national day of prayer	0:05:17
Community Development	5/3/2017	10 00 PM	Joe Sewell Awards	Tonight in Wetumpka the Joe Sewell Awards. honoring some of the sharpest seniors in Elmore County	0:02:00
Community Development	5/3/2017	Alabama Live	38th Annual Chunnenuggee Fair	The Bullock County Historical Society is hosting the 38th annual Chunnenuggee Fair this weekend	0:03:09
Community Development	5/3/2017	Alabama Live	What's cool in MGM	Looking for something to do this weekend we have a few suggestions that might help you out	0:03:55
Community Development	5/3/2017	Alabama Live	Betterment Tour 2017	This Friday you can learn how you can optimize your health and help others in your life as well	0:04:04
Community Development	5/3/2017	Alabama Live	History's Mysteries photo ID	Are you good at solving mysteries if so this is your chance The Alabama Department of Archives	0:04:16
Community Development	5/4/2017	Alabama Live	Table Tennis Tourney	The table tennis tourney fundraiser benefiting reh-nay-sons which	0:04:30

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				Looking for something to do this weekend	
Community Development	5/11/2017	Alabama Live	What's cool in MGM	we have a few suggestions that might help you out	0:04:33
Community Development	5/15/2017	Alabama Live	City of Montgomery: Annual Riverbend Brewfest	The City of Montgomery will be hosting their 5th Annual Riverbend Brewfest this weekend! This unique	0:03:18
				There is always	
Community			Weekly Eastchase	something going on at the Shoppes at Eastchase and this	
Development	5/16/2017	Alabama Live	Events	week in no different!	0:03:22
Community in the			In augural Prover	This weekend Community Congregational Church, Connecting Life Community Center and Ladies	
Community Development	5/16/2017	Alabama Live	Inaugural Prayer Walk For Peace	Influencing	0:05:13
Community			Montgomery	It's time to get your Geek on with the Montgomery Biscuits its the themed weekend	
Development	5/17/2017	Alabama Live	Biscuits: 'Geek'end	celebrating retro	0:03:18
				Looking for something to do this weekend we have a few	
Community Development	5/18/2017	Alabama Live	What's cool in MGM	suggestions that might help you out	0:03:37

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Community Development	6/6/2017	Alabama Live	Montgomery Zoo: Military Appreciation Day	The Montgomery Zoo in partnership with the Montgomery Area Chamber of Commerce will be honoring	0:03:45
Community Development	6/6/2017	Alabama Live	Bell Bash: Summer Edition	Are you a local Marketer or Business owner this next event is perfect for you! Bell Bash a	0:02:09
Community Development	6/6/2017	Alabama Live	Eastchase: Sounds of Summer	The sweet Sounds of Summer event is back at The Shoppes at EastChase and is bigger than ever!	0:02:38
Community Development	6/7/2017	Alabama Live	The WOW Factor Concert	Happening this weekend in Ozark a talented group of women will share the stage at THE W.O.W.	0:02:56
Community			The Montgomery Biscuits: Fantasy	This week the Montgomery Biscuits are taking on the Chattanooga Lookouts Riverwalk	0.02.12
Development Community	6/7/2017	Alabama Live	Weekend History's Mysteries	Stadium Are you good at solving mysteries if so this is your chance The Alabama Department of	0:03:12
Development	6/7/2017	Alabama Live	photo ID	Archives Are you ready for some summer fun there is a lot happening in the	0:03:22
Community Development	6/15/2017	Alabama Live	What's cool in MGM	Capital City We have a list	0:02:45

Community Development	6/22/2017	Alabama Live	What's cool in MGM	It's time to fill up your social calendar and lucky for you there is a lot happening in the Capital City	0:02:41
Community Development	6/29/2017	Alabama Live	What's cool in MGM	It's time to fill up your social calendar for the Fourth of July weekend and lucky for you there.	0:02:35
Crime & Law Enforcement	4/3/2017	Alabama Live	April is Sexual Assault Awareness Month	April is National Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention month President Trump issued the	0:03:42
Crime & Law Enforcement	4/4/2017	Alabama Live	The Dream of S.T.E.A.M Expo	This weekend those interested in the upcoming S.T.E.A.M PROGRAMS will have a chance to learn more about	0:03:17
Crime & Law Enforcement	4/4/2017	Alabama Live	Tuesdays with the DA	It's time for Tuesdays with the District Attorney! This week is Victims' Rights Week	0:03:38
Crime & Law Enforcement	4/7/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY	IT'S TIME to "ASK THE ATTORNEY" CALL NOW to get your questions answered We're back with our Ask the Attorney	0:02:52
Crime & Law Enforcement	4/7/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY 2	segment *FREE* LEGAL ADVICE ATTORNEY Ali Hawthorne OF The Beasley Allen Law Firm	0:03:38
Crime & Law Enforcement	4/11/2017	Alabama Live	VOICES for Alabama's Children 34	H-B-2-7-7 better known as The Child Care Safety Act promotes the licensing and inspection for	0:03:44

Crime & Law Enforcement	4/14/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY	IT'S TIME to "ASK THE ATTORNEY" CALL NOW to get your questions answered. 	0:03:48
Crime & Law Enforcement	4/14/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY 2	- We're back with our Ask the Attorney segment *FREE* LEGAL ADVICE ATTORNEY KENDA	0:03:37
Crime & Law Enforcement	4/18/2017	Alabama Live	Child Protect Chairs for Children	April is child abuse awareness month, and to mark it - one of Montgomery's strongest weapons in the	0:03:07
Crime & Law Enforcement	4/18/2017	Alabama Live	Tuesdays with the DA	It's time for Tuesdays with the District . Attorney! Today we are discussing a new drug epidemic	0:03:30
Crime & Law Enforcement	4/21/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY	IT'S TIME to "ASK THE ATTORNEY" CALL NOW to get your questions answered	0:03:38
Crime & Law Enforcement	4/21/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY 2	IT'S TIME to "ASK THE ATTORNEY" CALL NOW to get your questions answered.	0:03:20

Crime & Law Enforcement	4/28/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY 2	We're back with our Ask the Attorney segment *FREE* LEGAL ADVICE ATTORNEY FRANK WOODSON OF THE BEASLEY	0:03:46
Crime & Law Enforcement	5/2/2017	Alabama Live	Tuesdays with the DA	It's time for Tuesdays with the District Attorney! Today we are talking about the Place Families	0:03:00
Crime & Law Enforcement	5/5/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY	IT'S TIME to "ASK THE ATTORNEY" CALL NOW to get your questions answered	0:03:53
Crime & Law Enforcement	5/5/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY 2	We're back with our Ask the Attorney segment *FREE* LEGAL ADVICE ATTORNEY KENDA	0:03:27
Crime & Law Enforcement	5/12/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY	IT'S TIME to "ASK THE ATTORNEY" CALL NOW to get your questions answered	0:03:57
Crime & Law			Legal Services	Legal Services Alabama provides a wide array of legal services for residents throughout the	
Enforcement	5/15/2017	Alabama Live	Alabama	state Happening today WSFA 12 News is	0:02:11
Crime & Law Enforcement	5/15/2017	Alabama Live	Crimestoppers Action Line	teaming up with Montgomery Area CrimeStoppers	0:03:12
				It's time for Tuesdays with the District Attorney! Today we	·
Crime & Law Enforcement	5/16/2017	Alabama Live	Tuesdays with the DA	are talking about social media	0:03:55

				Autauga County Family Support Center is introducing the community to their	
Crime & Law Enforcement	5/16/2017	Alabama Live	Human Trafficking Event	new parenting workshop pr	0:03:41
Crime & Law Enforcement	5/19/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY	IT'S TIME to "ASK THE ATTORNEY" CALL NOW to get your questions answered.	0:03:30
Crime & Law				We're back with our Ask the Attorney segment *FREE* LEGAL ADVICE	
Enforcement	5/19/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY 2	ATTORNEY KENDA	0:03:43
Crime & Law				IT'S TIME to "ASK THE ATTORNEY" Beasley Allen Attorney, Gibson	
Enforcement	5/26/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY	Vance is here to an	0:03:43
Crime & Law Enforcement	E/26/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY 2	We're back with our Ask the Attorney segment *FREE* LEGAL ADVICE ATTORNEY GIBSON VANCE OF THE BEAS	0:03:55
Enforcement	5/26/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY 2	It's time for Tuesday's	0:05:55
Crime & Law				with the District Attorney! Today we have some helpful tips	
Enforcement	5/30/2017	Alabama Live	Tuesdays with the DA	on how IT'S TIME TO "ASK THE ATTORNEY" Beasley	0:08:09
Crime & Law Enforcement	6/2/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY	Allen Attorney, Parker Miller is here to a	0:05:57
Crime & Law				We're back with our Ask the Attorney segment *FREE* LEGAL ADVICE ATTORNEY Parker	
Enforcement	6/2/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY 2	Miller OF THE BEA	0:05:46

Crime & Law				It's time for Tuesday's with the District Attorney! Today we're taking a look at some	
Enforcement	6/13/2017	Alabama Live	Tuesdays with the DA	of the	0:05:59
Crime & Law Enforcement	6/16/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY	IT'S TIME to "ASK THE ATTORNEY" CALL NOW to get your questions answered by	0:05:15
Crime & Law	6 (02 (047		ACK THE ATTORNEY 2	We're back with our Ask the Attorney segment *FREE* LEGAL ADVICE with ATTORNEY GIBSON	0.05.40
Enforcement	6/23/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY 2	VANCE OF THE	0:05:42
Crime & Law				IT'S TIME to "ASK THE ATTORNEY" Gibson Vance from the Beasley Allen law firm	
Enforcement	6/23/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY	is here	0:02:06
Crime & Law Enforcement	6/27/2017	Alabama Live	Tuesdays with the DA	It's not clear - how the children got their hands on the gun that was used or where it was before	0:06:22
			·	We're back with our Ask the Attorney segment *FREE* LEGAL ADVICE	
Crime & Law Enforcement	6/30/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY 2	ATTORNEY FRANK WOODSON OF THE IT'S TIME to "ASK THE ATTORNEY" CALL	0:05:41
Crime & Law Enforcement	6/30/2017	Alabama Live	ASK THE ATTORNEY	NOW to get your questions answered.	0:03:21
				Vann Vocal Institute in Montgomery is marking its 10th anniversaryand	
Cultural	4/3/2017	Alabama Live	Vann Vocal Institute	you're invited to the	0:03:50

celebrity...

Cultural	4/4/2017	Alabama Live	SUA MYSTERY DINNER THEATER	Success Unlimited Academy will present a light-hearted 'who dun it' murder mystery satire entitled	0:03:10
Cultural	4/5/2017	Alabama Live	46th Annual Calico Fort Arts and Crafts Fair	One of the oldest and largest arts and crafts fairs in the south is gearing up for its annual event	0:06:13
Cultural	4/6/2017	Alabama Live	ASF: Clint Black Preview	Another event taking place during the City of Montgomery's All American Weekend is an outdoor concert	0:02:53
Cultural	4/7/2017	Alabama Live	History's Mysteries photo ID	Are you good at solving mysteries if so this is your chance. The Alabama Dept. of Archives	0:02:53
Cultural	4/7/2017	Alabama Live	Thrift Style Living	Are you into crafting we have tips on Finding your craft Supplies In THRIFTED MARKETS	0:02:48
Cultural	4/14/2017	Alabama Live	Voices in Black History Speech Competition	We told you about the Montgomery City-County Public Library's Voices in Black History Speech Competition	0:03:07
Cultural	4/14/2017	Alabama Live	Prattville Theatre holds Auditions for Hairspray!	If you live in the river region and you've always dreamed of acting in a theatrical production, you	0:03:39

Cultural	4/18/2017	Alabama Live	Wetumpka High School Theatre Department	Coming to the stage at Wetumpka High School the students' performance of 'Ghost the Musical' start	0:03:57
Cultural	4/19/2017	Alabama Live	the Capri Theatre: Black Maria Film Festival Tour	For over 30 years, the Black Maria Film Festival has been celebrating and preserving the diversity,	0:04:29
Cultural	4/24/2017	Alabama Live	Old Time Music Festival	Lee County is watching the weather closely this week as it prepares for its annual old time music	0:04:03
Cultural	4/25/2017	Alabama Live	Wetumpka Depot Players	Starting this Thursday The Wetumpka Depot Players are inviting surrounding communities out to the	0:03:18
Culturui	4,23,2017	Alabama Elve	PIKE NAACP 2017	HAPPENING THIS WEEKEND IN TROY THE PIKE COUNTY NAACP WILL BE	0.00.120
Cultural	5/2/2017	Alabama Live	FREEDOM FUND BLACK TIE BANQUET	HOLDING THEIR 20-17 FREEDOM FUND BLA Each year nearly 3-thousand people flock to the annual Flimp Festival at the Montgomery museum	0:03:11
Cultural	5/2/2017	Alabama Live	MMFA: Flimp Festival	of Fine Arts	0:01:53
			Janice Hawkins Cultural Arts Park	The newly opened Janice Hawkins Cultural Arts Park and International Arts Center on the campus	
Cultural	5/4/2017	Alabama Live	and International	of	0:03:59

			Montgomery's Capitol Sounds	The capitol sounds concert band is hosting a summer concert next	
Cultural	5/31/2017	Alabama Live	Concert Band	Tuesday the concert	0:04:01
Cultural	5/31/2017	Alabama Live	Alabama River Region Ballet: Summer Programs	This summer your child has the chance to be exposed to ballet and its techniques The Alabama	0:03:21
Cultural	6/6/2017	Alabama Live	Alabama River Region Ballet	Two talented members of the Alabama River Region Ballet School and Youth Company will be heading	0:05:20
Economy	4/11/2017	Alabama Live	Travel Alabama	If you are planning a Disney World with your family it can seem overwhelming, but this next event	0:03:40
Economy	4/25/2017	Alabama Live	Travel Alabama	If you're among those who are considering taking a cruise we have some good news from you! Our	0:04:38
Economy	4/26/2017	Alabama Live	Autauga County Plant Sale	It's spring, so most of us are looking for new plants to put in our yard or in our homes This	0:04:03
Economy	5/16/2017	Alabama Live	Travel Alabama	Through their Solo Travelers Club- Triple A Alabama provides individuals who share the love of trave IF YOU ARE PLANNING TO PACK UP YOUR CAR	0:04:01
Economy	5/26/2017	Alabama Live	Fueling Up For Your Summer Travel Plans	FOR A ROAD TRIP THIS YEAR YOU WILL BE IN	0:04:53

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Economy	5/30/2017	Alabama Live	Travel Alabama	Memorial Day marks the un-official start to summer and time for residents to start planning and have	0:05:22
Economy	6/1/2017	Alabama Live	PARENT 2 PARENT	Parents, if you have students attending college in the fall, that first semester bill and how to pay	0:05:21
Economy	6/12/2017	Alabama Live	Travel Alabama	We've told you about Triple A Alabama's Solo Travelers Club but next week you can learn more	0:04:09
Economy	6/27/2017	Alabama Live	Travel Alabama	If you plan to travel for the fourth of July, expect a large crowd. triple-a is forecasting a record	0:04:20
Education	4/4/2017	Alabama Live	12th Fred Gray Civil Rights Symposium	Faulkner University will be hosting a civil rights symposium. There will be several different	0:03:18
Education	4/4/2017	Alabama Live	2nd Annual Bass Tournament: Cheerleaders	The Autauga Academy Cheerleaders are getting ready to host their 2nd Annual Bass Tournament	0:03:43
Education	4/4/2017	Alabama Live	Trenholm Tech Community College: Heads 'N' Tails L	It's crawfish season and there is nothing like getting messy with a little Cajun cuisine! The Trenholm	0:03:21

Education	4/4/2017	Alabama Live	EdCamp Montgomery 2017	This weekend many Central Alabama educators will come together for a day of professional learning	0:03:01
Education	4/6/2017	Alabama Live	New Season Outlook with Coach	It's opening day and although several of the players are new to Montgomery but they aren't new	0:04:04
Education	4/7/2017	Alabama Live	2017 Elmore County Preparedness Fair	This week is proof that the weather can change day by day so you and your family have to be prepared	0:04:23
Education	4/10/2017	Alabama Live	TRENHOLM STATE COMMUNITY COLLEGE HOSTS PARENT'S NI	Parents know or they will learn soon enough the process of getting in to college	0:03:52
Education	4/13/2017	Alabama Live	PARENT 2 PARENT	Potential Magazine is always looking for great ways to help families pay for college and be able to	0:03:29
Education	4/14/2017	Alabama Live	Montgomery Public School System Community Forums	We are now three days away from the first community forum on the state's intervention	0:04:24
Education	4/17/2017	Alabama Live	state convention for Alabama Libraries	This week The Alabama Library Association will be hosting its annual Convention Its all kicking off	0:03:49
Laucation	7/1//201/	Auduna Live	, nabama Elbranes	Montgomery's historic Old Alabama Town will come alive for the	0.00.40
Education	4/18/2017	Alabama Live	Alabama Book Festival	Alabama Book festival. Once again	0:04:03

Education	4/20/2017	Alabama Live	PARENT 2 PARENT	Parents did you know that automated manufacturing is one of the fastest growing industries in the	0:04:46
Education	4/25/2017	Alabama Live	S.P.R.A.G. (Single Parents Raising A Gift)	The nonprofit organization, Single Parents Raising A Gift strives to help single parent households i	0:04:21
Education	4/26/2017	Alabama Live	ASU's Spring 2017 Student Connection Day & ASU's B	Alabama State University will be hosting their Connection Day event! The event gives high school	0:04:10
Education	4/28/2017	Alabama Live	Virtual School Registration	Montgomery Public Schools' Virtual School Program will begin accepting applications next week	0:03:50
Education	5/2/2017	Alabama Live	PARENT 2 PARENT	IT'S THE SEASON FOR CAPS AND GOWNS DIPLOMAS AND STANDING OVATIONS WHETHER YOU'RE ATTEND	0:04:31
Education	5/3/2017	Alabama Live	WEATHER RADIO EVENT	Happening now the WSFA First Alert Weather team are at the Selma Walgreens	0:01:53
Education	5/3/2017	Alabama Live	WEAHTER RADIO	Happening now the WSFA First Alert Weather team are at the Selma Walgreens	0:02:22

Education	5/15/2017	Alabama Live	Alabama State Department of Education: Summer Lea	The Alabama State Department of Education is working to raise awareness of the summer loss epidemic.	0:02:39
Education	5/17/2017	Alabama Live	WEAHTER RADIO	Happening now the WSFA First Alert Weather team are at the Taylor Road Walgreens	0:01:30
Education	5/17/2017	Alabama Live	WEATHER RADIO EVENT	Happening now the WSFA First Alert Weather team are at the Montgomery Taylor Road	0:01:50
Education	5/17/2017	Alabama Live	Montgomery Educational Foundation: IT SUMMIT	Technology is always changing and that means those who protect our country are always adapting	0:02:19
Education	5/17/2017	Alabama Live	WEATHER RADIO	Happening now the WSFA First Alert Weather team are at the Taylor Road Walgreens loc	0:03:28
Education	5/18/2017	Alabama Live	PARENT 2 PARENT	As the temperatures continue to rise it's time to revamp your closet with some fresh summer outfit	0:04:18
Education	5/31/2017	Alabama Live	Freedom Riders Traveling Exhibit	Happening Tomorrow The Freedom Rides Museum will host a special exhibit op	0:04:07
Education	5/31/2017	Alabama Live	Alabama's French Connection: A Symposium on Shared	The Alabama Department of Archives and History, in partnership with	0:04:13

other organizations

Education	6/1/2017	Alabama Live	Millennials Making Moves Brunch Event	Next weekend a brunch will offer millennials the chance to unlock their hidden potential and take	0:03:31
Education	6/5/2017	Alabama Live	The Autauga Education Foundation: Annual A+ Banque	THE AUTAUGA EDUCATION FOUNDATION IS HAVING its ANNUAL A-PLUS BANQUET THIS THURSDAY AND MONDAY	0:03:01
Education	6/5/2017	Alabama Live	MPS: Importance of Attendance Meeting	IT MIGHT BE THE SUMMER BUT MONTGOMERY PUBLIC SCHOOLS ARE WORKING TO MAKE SURE PARENTS ARE INFORMED F	0:03:15
Education	6/15/2017	Alabama Live	PARENT 2 PARENT	Parents, if you have a Rising Senior It's time to start applying for Colleges. Most colleges	0:05:06
Education	6/22/2017	Alabama Live	PARENT 2 PARENT	Did you know that most college are tracking graduation rates within 6 years - if you or your student	0:02:36
Education	6/29/2017	Alabama Live	PARENT 2 PARENT	In the past eight years, advanced placement exam scores for math, science and English have grown more	0:05:12
Environment	4/6/2017	10 00 PM	Henry County Damage 46	Storms ripped their way through Henry	0:03:38

County on Wednesday and took their toll on...

Environment	4/6/2017	10 00 PM	Mobile Home Storm Safety	Alabama battered by storms this weeksevere weather damaging homes and businesses in different parts	0:02:00
Environment	4/6/2017	NEW TIA 5AM - 6AM RUNDOWN	Mobile Home Storm Safety	Alabama battered by storms this week. severe weather damaging homes and businesses in different parts	0:02:00
Government	4/6/2017	10 00 PM	Ethics Commission Latest	10 hours of executive session kicked off at 9:30 - attorneys from the governor's office - AG's office	0:02:30
Government	4/6/2017	10 00 PM	Reaction to Ethics Commission	REP. MIKE BALL/ (R) MADISON COUNTY: "This is a first step an earnest step in the truth of all of this	0:05:02
Government	4/6/2017	NEW TIA 430 AM	Ethics Commission Latest	10 hours of executive session kicked off at 9:30 - attorneys from the governor's office - AG's office	0:02:10
Government	4/6/2017	NEW TIA 6AM - 7 AM RUNDOWN	Ethics Commission Latest	10 hours of executive session kicked off at 9:30 - attorneys from the governor's office - AG's office	0:02:10
Government	4/8/2017	10 00 PM	House Speaker on Bentley Resignation Refusal	After Bentley's comments House Speaker Mac McCutcheon implored the governor to not stand defiant	0:02:56

Government	4/8/2017	10 00 PM	What is in the Bentley Report	A report which prompted governor Bentley to do almost a pre apology made it's way out Despite	0:03:20
Government	4/8/2017	10 00 PM	Bentley Speaks to Media: Refuses Resignation	Today the House Judiciary Committee chairman said his committee will still meet Monday despite the	0:02:44
Government	4/8/2017	10 00 PM	Bentley Court Case	The scene of Alabama's biggest political fight of the day - the Montgomery County Courthouse - where	0:03:31
Government	4/9/2017	TIA SPECIAL EDITION	What is in the Bentley Report	A report which prompted governor Bentley to do almost a pre-apology made its way out. Despite	0:04:01
Government	4/10/2017	NEW TIA 5AM - 6AM RUNDOWN	What is in the Bentley Report	A report which prompted governor Bentley to do almost a pre-apology made its way out. Despite	0:04:30
Government	4/10/2017	NEW TIA 6AM - 7 AM RUNDOWN	What is in the Bentley Report	A report which prompted governor Bentley to do almost a pre-apology made its way out Despite	0:03:02
Government	4/11/2017	10 00 PM	Governor Pleads Guilty & Courthouse Reax	The inevitable end of Governor Bentleys career started at the Montgomery circuit clerk's office	0:02:32
Government	4/11/2017	10 00 PM	Bentley Says Goodbye	He entered with applause And for the last time as Alabama's governor¦ Robert Bentley spoke	0:03:00

Government	4/11/2017	10 00 PM	Gov. Kay Ivey Sworn In	GOV. IVEY: "I Kay Ivey do solemnly swear." For Kay Ivey - This was no ordinary Monday in	0:02:01
Government	4/11/2017	NEW TIA 430 AM	Governor Pleads Guilty & Courthouse Reax	The inevitable end of Governor Bentleys career started at the Montgomery circuit clerk's office	0:03:20
Government	4/11/2017	NEW TIA 5AM - 6AM RUNDOWN	Bentley Says Goodbye	He entered with applause. And for the last time as Alabama's governor Robert Bentley spoke.	0:02:00
Healthcare	4/7/2017	Alabama Live	FITNESS FIRST FRIDAYS	It's time for our Fitness First Fridays segment the city of Montgomery is once again	0:02:12
Healthcare	4/7/2017	Alabama Live	SISTAs CanSurvive Coalition, Inc.	It's time for the 19th Annual Celebration of Life in the War Against Cancer at New Canaan Missionary	0:03:41
Healthcare	4/10/2017	Alabama Live	EAST MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH: Annual Easter Produc	This Easter Sunday, East Memorial Baptist Church is hosting their annual Easter production	0:01:46
Healthcare	4/10/2017	Alabama Live	Mental Health Mondays	It's Mental Health Monday Today we are talking without friends from the Rezfit Personal Trainer	0:05:07
Healthcare	4/13/2017	Alabama Live	Ask the Trainer	Corey Ellis is here to answer your fitness questions. you still have time	0:03:24
Healthcare	4/14/2017	Alabama Live	Walk of Life 2017 49	It's time again for you to fight against breast cancer and get some	0:03:44

				exercise at the same time	
			2017 Diabetes WALK	Have you ever heard of Camp Seale Harris if not it's Alabama's only diabetes camp.	
Healthcare	4/17/2017	Alabama Live	for Camp Seale Harris	And this morning big star tavern on highway 82 in Prattville will once	0:03:38
Healthcare	4/20/2017	Alabama Live	8th Annual Autism Awareness Fundraiser	again be the location for the Annual Autism fundraiser	0:04:53
				Over the years childhood obesity rates have increased rapidly the y-m-c-a is	
Healthcare	4/21/2017	Alabama Live	Healthy Kid's Day	Next Tuesday, Gift of Life Foundation will be hosting a free	0:03:01
Healthcare	4/21/2017	Alabama Live	Gift of Life Foundation	Maternal & Child Health Mini-Conference	0:02:37
			5:51 A 15 1	Are you an aspiring entrepreneur, small farmer or small	
Healthcare	4/24/2017	Alabama Live	Fifth Annual Food Conference	business owner well listen to this! you n	0:04:14
Healthcare	4/26/2017	Alabama Live	Girls on the Run serving the River Region 5k	Girls on the Run is a positive youth development program for 3rd through 5th grader girls The	0:01:30
Healthcare	4/27/2017	Alabama Live	Ask the Trainer	Rezfit Personal Trainer Corey Ellis is here to answer your fitness questions. if you have a quest	0:04:26
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Healthcare	4/27/2017	Alabama Live	4th Annual 3k NonViolence Walk	The local non-profit organization POSITIVE PARENTS HAVE POWER INC., is getting ready to host their 4 Happening tomorrow Strong Tower at Washington Park Church has	0:05:59
Healthcare	4/28/2017	Alabama Live	Community Health Fair	partnered up with Common Ground Monday	0:05:18
Healthcare	5/2/2017	Alabama Live	Lupus Benefit Concert	May is Lupus Awareness Month to kick off the month there will be a Lift Him Up! Lupus Benefit	0:05:27
Healthcare	5/3/2017	Alabama Live	2017 Montgomery Kidney Walk	Alabama ranks 5th in the nation when it comes to kidney disease the Alabama Kidney Foundation	0:03:42
Healthcare	5/4/2017	Alabama Live	Ask the Trainer	Rezfit Personal Trainer Corey Ellis is here to answer your fitness questions if you have a question	0:03:46
			7th Annual Run for a	It's time again for Agape's Run for a Mom 5K and Fun Run This annual event benefits agape	
Healthcare	5/5/2017	Alabama Live	Mom	of Central	0:03:59
Healthcare	5/5/2017	Alabama Live	FITNESS FIRST FRIDAYS	It's time for our Fitness First Fridays segment A new study claims that the Montgomery	0:05:29
Healthcare	5/5/2017	Alabama Live	March of Dimes: March for Babies 2017	While there have been improvements in the	0:04:38

				nation's preterm birth rate there's still more that need	
Healthcare	5/8/2017	Alabama Live	Mental Health Mondays	It's Mental Health Monday With last week's shooting of the Bellingrath student	0:04:24
Healthcare	5/12/2017	Alabama Live	PARENT 2 PARENT	During the teen years, almost one-half of the skeleton is formed but it's reported that only 15 percent	0:03:59
			March of Dimes: Food Week for	Starting today Local restaurants are teaming up to help benefit the March of Dimes as they	
Healthcare	5/15/2017	Alabama Live	Babies	CONTINUE WITH ALL THE INFORMATION OUT THERE ABOUT FOOD ITS NO SURPRISE THAT	0:04:41
Healthcare	5/16/2017	Alabama Live	Food Myth	WE CAN BECOME CONFUSED about Just a few small steps can go a long way to	0:04:07
Healthcare	5/17/2017	Alabama Live	GET Movin Walk A Thon	improving your health. That's what the idea behind	0:04:23
				Rezfit Personal Trainer Corey Ellis is here to answer your fitness questions you still	0.02.22
Healthcare	5/25/2017	Alabama Live	Ask the Trainer	have time DID YOU KNOW THAT PREMATURITY IS THE #1 KILLER OF BABIES IN THE UNITED STATES	0:03:33
Healthcare	5/30/2017	Alabama Live	March of Dimes	WHILE THERE HAS	0:05:54
Healthcare	6/2/2017	Alabama Live	FITNESS FIRST FRIDAYS 52	It's time for our Fitness First Fridays segment The City of	0:05:35

				Montgomery is working to m	
Healthcare	6/5/2017	Alabama Live	The BIG Run	THIS WEDNESDAY FLEET FEET SPORTS LOCATIONS NATIONWIDE WILL TAKE PART OF THE GLOBAL RUNNING DAY BY	0:03:24
Healthcare	6/6/2017	Alabama Live	Ask the Trainer	It's time for our Ask the Trainer segment Rezfit Personal Trainer Corey Ellis is her	0:03:38
Healthcare	6/12/2017	Alabama Live	Mental Health Mondays	It's Mental Health Monday This summer you might not be able to take a vacation.	0:04:37
Healthcare	6/22/2017	Alabama Live	Ask the Trainer	Rezfit Personal Trainer Corey Ellis is here to answer your fitness questions. if you have a question	0:08:16
Healthcare	6/29/2017	4th of July-Alabama Live	PARENT 2 PARENT	Now that the weather is heating up, and summer is in full swing it's time to get a little fresh air	0:06:36
Healthcare	6/30/2017	Alabama Live	Ask the Trainer	It's time for our Ask the Trainer segment Rezfit Personal Trainer Corey Ellis is here	0:07:38
				At the end of this month People of God Community	
Social Services	4/11/2017	Alabama Live	2nd Annual Walk A Thon for Ronald McDonald House	Church Youth Ministry will be hosting their 2nd	0:03:37
Social Services	4/19/2017	Alabama Live	Foster Care & Adoption awareness event	Did you know that there are close to 200 children in	0:04:28

				Montgomery County that need foster homes, but	
Social Services	4/24/2017	Alabama Live	Young Eagles Day	A group dedicated to promoting interest in aviation among young people is holding its annual event c	0:03:56
Social Services	5/1/2017	Alabama Live	annual Ranch Roundup Event	The Family Sunshine Center is gearing to host their Annual Ranch Roundup The event is a down ho	0:04:01
Social Services	5/2/2017	Alabama Live	car show bike drive to benefit homeless Veterans	Central Alabama Veterans Health Care System and Goodwill Industries are teaming up with other sponsors	0:03:42
Social Services	5/3/2017	Alabama Live	All Hands Together presents Mayfest	The organization, ALL HANDS TOGETHER is teaming up with other local organizations to host Mayfest	0:03:17
Social Services	5/4/2017	Alabama Live	27th Annual Charity Golf Classic: Boys and Girls C	Next week you can help raise money for the Boys and Girls Club of The River Region is a fun way	0:04:26
Social Services	6/1/2017	Alabama Live	opening Regency Park Community Center	Montgomery is just two days away from opening its newest community center. the Regency Park Comm	0:03:56
Social Services	6/2/2017	Alabama Live	Free Beauty Services to Cancer Survivors	Next week students at Virginia College Cosmetology Services will be using their skills and talent	0:02:04

Social Services	6/5/2017	Alabama Live	the Alabama Omega Foundation: Golf Classic & Manho	THE ALABAMA OMEGA FOUNDATION WAS ESTABLISHED TO HELP IMPROVE THE CONDITION OF THE HAPPENING THIS WEEKEND MERCY BAPTIST CHURCH IS	0:05:07
Social Services	6/5/2017	Alabama Live	Mercy Baptist Church's First Women's Conference	HOSTING its FIRST EVER WOMEN'S CONFERENCE	0:04:37
Social Services	6/7/2017	Alabama Live	Alex's Lemonade Stand Foundation	As the temperature heats up outside What better way to cool off than with a tall glass of fresh lemonade	0:03:06